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Caledonia.

John Moffat returned from his visit in Detroit last Saturday—Jacob Hohenshell and Hugh Morris are busy sawing a box pile in the Leland woods—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Newell and family visited friends in Owosso Tuesday—Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmore visited friends near Cheaning last week—J. Moffat and son, Ernest, are visiting friends in Detroit this week—Some of the young folks have been attending Crusade meetings at the North Venice church—Mr. L. Preston, of Grand Rapids, is visiting his uncle, E. M. Conley.

Bennington.

Tuesday, Jan. 16, at the home of the bride's parents occurs the marriage of Miss Kittie Taylor to Mr. Lee Byerly—Mrs. Myrtle Waugh has been suffering with tonsillitis—A very pleasant evening was spent last Friday at the public installation of officers of the Bennington Arbor of Gleaners. A good program was rendered after which oysters were served—Miss Kittie Millspaugh is clerking for W. P. Harriman—The party that was to have been last week Wednesday evening at Joe Breaugh's was postponed—Mr. and Mrs. Bacon, living northeast of town, lost their little boy last Friday morning with the group. He was buried at Henderson.

Carland.

Mrs. Celia Hyde has returned from Hoopesville, where she has been visiting her sons—Mr. John Myrfin lost a bag of carpet rag balls from his wagon Friday, while moving to his home near Brady Center—E. F. Babcock and wife, of near Laingsburg visited A. T. Colby and family the first of the week—The L. A. S. met with Mrs. A. Mitchell Thursday—Mrs. Wm. Green and children are spending the week with her parents in Chapin—Mr. Frank Wellington has returned from a visit with relatives in St. Johns—Mr. and Mrs. D. Carroll, of Chapin, were the guests of Martin Campbell and family Sunday—Miss Eva Mitchell has returned from Buffalo, N. Y.—Trustee meeting will be held at the M. P. church a week from Wednesday evening—Mrs. Lewis Shickie is entertaining her brother, Thomas Blunt, and family—Work will soon be commenced upon the M. P. church shed.

Union Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert LeMay are both sick with the grip—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lerner, of St. Charles, have been visiting at H. H. Lockett's and Grant Morgan's the past few days—Grant Morgan dislocated his knee joint while doing chores in his barn last week Thursday—Lewis Hackey Jr. went to Corunna Saturday—George Harder and wife returned Friday from their wedding trip—The Union Plains Sunday school elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Superintendent, N. F. Richards; assistant, Conrad Frye; secretary, Miss Nellie Fosket; treasurer, Lewis Hanky Jr.; organist, Miss Jessie Richards; chorister, Miss Lule Harder; librarian, William Richards—On Saturday evening a yearling colt, belonging to B. S. Fosket was strangled by the halter that was attached to another colt, till it was apparently dead, but by holding up its head and blowing in its nostrils it slowly regained breath, and was restored to life. It was certainly quite remarkable—Dell Hathaway has moved into the Cantrell house—It is reported that Clayton Sayers has diphtheria in Chicago; also Herbert Bartlegame, who went there from Byron.

Elsie.

Eugene Allen is home from Detroit—Leroy Lawason is in Detroit on business—S. Waldron is visiting friends in New York—Charles Ross' son is quite ill with diphtheria—John Crossy was in Owosso on business Friday—Installation Monday night of the G. A. R. and W. R. C.—Mrs. Albert Levey fell and injured her face the latter part of the week—Mrs. Watson, mother of Albert Watson, is suffering from a stroke of paralysis—George Rouse and wife, of Stanton, are visiting his mother, Mrs. E. Cramer—H. L. Kendrick and family, of St. Johns, spent Sunday with friends in Elsie—The places of business in the village will close at eight o'clock for the next few weeks—L. A. Finch has returned from Fort Steel, B. C., where he has been for the past three years—Miss Minnie Ryan, who has been visiting an aunt in Washington, D. C., has returned to Elsie—Chas. Simpson, who has been visiting friends in Elsie, has returned to his home in Thompsonville—Chauncey Burleson, who has been working in Owosso for some time past, stepped in a vat of hot lye at that place and was quite seriously burned—Mrs. Chas. Sexton and Mrs. Hattie Maynard, who have been at Orion for the past few weeks, have returned to their homes.

Perry.

Mr. Rob Johnson, who has been in Charlotte for a few weeks, has returned home—Mr. Gilford Root, of Morrice, was in town Saturday—Mrs. T. Johnston returned home Thursday from Jackson where she has been visiting—The Misses Alice Lucas and Katie Hammond drove to Shafterburg Saturday—Miss Minnie Lucas returned to her school after spending her vacation with her parents—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hart are visiting in Lapeer—Pratt Wilcox was in Battle Creek and Valparaiso last week—Clare Rann, of Perry, and Miss Emma, of White Oak, were married at Williamson, Monday. We wish them success—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hunt, of Owosso, visited relatives in Perry and Lapeer last week—Leslie Bacon declares that Chas. DePotty shot at a flock of wild turkeys and killed eight. This seems to be a very clever shot—Rev. John Swenfurth preached in the M. E. church Sunday—Rev. Taylor is still suffering from throat trouble—Mrs. M. G. Perry is on the sick list—James Morgan has resigned his position with E. Brown & Co.—Miss Edna Manning, of West Bay City, is visiting friends here—G. Ryan, who has been clerking at E. Brown & Co.'s store, has gone to Ovid to accept a position as cook.

Laingsburg.

Union services are being held in the several churches in observing the week of prayer—The lecture course, consisting of six numbers, is finally under the direction of the several young people's societies of the village. The opening entertainment of the course is a concert by the Eugene Page Co., of Detroit, Jan. 19. Mr. Page can handle a mandolin better than any other man in Michigan—Mr. Howdin and his trick horse have taken up their abode in town again for the winter. The horse is one of the side show attractions in the Forpaugh Sells Bros' circus. Mrs. Howdin is also one of the fancy riders—The Bible Study Union has taken up the study of Semiloth's outline of the Bible for the next year's work. The class numbers nearly twenty.

West Fairfield.

Mrs. Millie Sexton, who has been spending the past two weeks at Mr. Chas. Sexton's returned to her home in Gaylord Wednesday night—School has closed in district No. 4 on account of diphtheria—Chas. Cushman has been quite sick but is some better at this writing—Charles Ross' child is sick with sore throat and cold—Mr. Charles Sexton and wife returned from Orion last Monday night. Mrs. Sexton has been treated for a cancer and is gaining quite rapidly—Harvey Allen and wife are visiting friends in Ionia—Genie Allen returned from Detroit Monday night—Andrew Rockwell, of Homestead, Benzie county, is visiting relatives and friends around here—Hart S. Harte and his mother visited friends in south west Ovid Friday last and on Saturday he returned to his home in West Bay City.

Pittsburg.

Hiram Pierson, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Mary Forbes, of Saginaw, were married at the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. M. Lawrence, of Saginaw, in the presence of a number of friends from different parts of the state. They have the best wishes of all their friends—The Gleaners held an oyster supper at the hotel the first of the week with a good attendance—Our school is moving along in splendid shape—Our blacksmith, W. Bentley, has all the revival services here this week—G. N. Mitchell, our groceryman, is ready to wait on all who may purchase goods of him—Mrs. W. Bentley is very sick—J. Converse is busy dehorning cattle—C. Swanson has gone to Shafterburg where he has a winter's job lumbering.

Byron.

Attorney Richards and family, of Corunna, spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Close—Mrs. Banner, of Newburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martha Welch—Mrs. William McCollan is sick with bowel trouble—Miss Mollie Lusk visited at St. Johns last week—A large number of the Knights of the Macabees, of Byron, went to Argentine Thursday evening to witness the initiation of ten candidates at that place—E. F. Joslin attended a meeting of the state association of civil engineers and surveyors at Kalamazoo, last week—Mrs. William Kitson is in failing health, and is at present suffering with an enlarged neck—People hereabouts are filling their ice-houses with a very fine quality of ice—William Wadley has been quite sick but is better—James Goff is suffering with rheumatism—Mr. William Carman has gone to Milford and Fred Meier is assisting Mr. Kohler in his place—Mrs. A. T. Parrish and children visited at Clarion last week.

Ovid.

W. G. Hunter was in St. Johns Monday—Mande Gleason spent Sunday in St. Johns—Albert DeCamp, of Lansing, spent Sunday in Ovid—Mrs. Fred Norton is visiting her parents in Mt. Vernon—Miss Mary Donohue, of Kalamazoo, is visiting at A. Woodworth's—Mrs. George Edwards, of Owosso, was the guest of Ovid relatives Saturday—Eleven members were received into the Congregational church Sunday morning—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reichert, of Flint, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John High—Mrs. S. C. King has returned from Marshall after an extended visit with relatives there—Mrs. A. MacCowell was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Baker, of Price, the first of last week—Married, at the Congregational parsonage, Miss Mabel Higgins, of South Ovid, and George Aldrich, of Shepardsville—Will Woodworth has sold his business, of luggies and farm implements, to Chas. Eaton and James Munson. The firm will be known as Eaton & Munson—Mrs. Sarah J. Taft and Ezekiel Putnam were married at the bride's home on Main street last Wednesday evening. They will reside on Mr. Putnam's farm in Sekota, six miles southeast of this place—Lola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hay, passed into eternal rest Friday, January 6. She was the victim of consumption and for two years has been a most patient sufferer from that disease. She was born in Ovid, July 29, 1829, where her life was passed.

Olney.

A most enjoyable time was had at the shadow social held at the residence of C. M. Randall Friday night. About 75 or 80 were realized for school purposes—F. Johnson's brother and wife, of Tuscola county, made him a visit Saturday and Sunday—Roy Maurer had an overcoat, with gloves, etc., stolen while at the party Friday evening—Miss May Field has returned to her work at Ovid—Jim May, our veteran cobbler, is again at his old stand, at E. Smith's, and desires old as well as new customers to give him a call—A young folks' party at Clarence VanHorn's Friday was well attended—Joe Somers has been on the sick list for a few days but is on deck again—Mrs. Fred Streeter is on the sick list—A right move has been made in the arrest of a certain woman of this vicinity who, with her paramour, has committed scandalous deeds and actions not warrantable or consistent in a civilized community and the desire of our better class of citizens is that the "gang" may be broken up—Some of the farmers have harvested a nice quantity of ice during the last freeze up—G. A. Randall's house caught on fire from a spark Tuesday morning, but luckily, Mr. Randall was at home and extinguished the blaze before much damage was done—J. Buck and A. Holden are going to resume their lumbering near Bay City this week—Chas. Randall was in Owosso Tuesday on business—Farmers, watch out for your potatoes this changeable weather as many that were frozen have thawed out and unless removed will endanger the balance—F. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Fannie Frisbee, residing south of Ovid, died Wednesday morning of consumption. The funeral will be held at the home Friday at 1 o'clock and the remains will be placed in the Ovid cemetery.

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Bennington.

Merritt Moore, of Detroit, is visiting at Mrs. L. M. Hackett's, he has been on a trip in western Michigan and reports good sleighing at Paw Paw, Niles, Benton Harbor and other lake shore towns—E. F. Kinney, of Saginaw county, was also a guest Monday night at the residence of Mrs. Hackett—Mrs. G. Josenhans, of Maple River, is reported very sick—The Ladies Aid Society, of Maple River, will meet with Mrs. W. Clark, on Friday the 12th of January.

New Lothrop.

Mrs. Fred Reed was in Corunna on Tuesday—Clarence Amidon is again able to be on the street—Mrs. J. H. Clark spent a portion of last week with her parents in Montrose—Dr. Shoemaker's sister and two children, of Nebraska, visited at his home a part of last week—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Freeman, of Flushing, were guests at the home of I. E. French, Saturday—W. L. Colby has purchased the interest of Elmer Judd in the hardware store and Cyrus Judd and Mr. Colby will continue the business under the firm name of Judd & Colby—A company of Gleaners gathered at the home of Andrew Perry, two miles west and one-half mile north of town, on Friday evening and very happily surprised him—George French entertained his Sunday school class at his home on Thursday evening. Games, candy, etc., helped to make a very enjoyable evening. There were ten of the boys present—Julian Bullock has accepted a position in the drug store of Dr. Russell at Montrose. He commenced his duties on Monday and expects to move his family there to reside in the near future.

South Brady.

P. Corenran, of Owosso, visited at E. Ahearn's one day last week—Mrs. Miner and son Loyal, are visiting at P. Stack's—Norman Varco and Miss Meda Stickle attended the show in Owosso Saturday night—Mrs. K. Schnefecker accompanied her daughter Gertrude, to Detroit, where she is attending school. She has been spending the holidays with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haley—Mr. Harry Creacy, of Saginaw, who is attending the medical college there, visited friends on the ridge recently—J. J. Haley spent part of last week in Bath and Laingsburg buying stock—Mr. R. Varco, visited friends in Burton on Sunday—Mrs. George Scott entertained her brother Mr. David, of Vernon, last week. He returned from Dakota a short time ago where he has been engaged in business—Mrs. Kittie Carmody, of Owosso, visited her sister, Mrs. O'Connor for a few days—Thomas Brennan, proprietor of the hotel in Cheaning spent the day, Tuesday, the guest of his parents—Mrs. T. Forbes was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Haley, last week—Supt. McCartney is in Saginaw this week on official business—Coy brothers are doing a big business in their feed mill.

PASSED INSPECTION.

The County House All Right Yesterday When County Officials and Press Representatives Called.

Supt. and Mrs. N. E. McKenzie, of the county farm, have every reason to feel proud of the appearance which the new building presented yesterday, when in company with the superintendents of the poor and the wives of the latter gentlemen, they opened the institution to the official family of the county, the representatives of the press, and a few other guests, and served as fine a dinner as it has ever been the fortune of any set of men to sit down before.

The supervisors, who were already in Corunna in the midst of the January session, joined the various other guests in ample time to reach the county farm before the noon hour, and took carriages for the scene of the anticipated feast. Having arrived at the farm and put out their horses, the guests repaired to the office of the house and overflowed into the halls and rooms above.

When dinner was announced the guests to the number of fifty sat down and proceeded to relieve the table of a load which was something tremendous. Without attempting to give the complete menu, THE TIMES representative has a somewhat indistinct and jumbled up recollection of roast pork, pressed chicken, potatoes mashed and creamed, scalloped oysters, hot rolls, tea and coffee, salads, pickles both sour and sweet, olives, celery, cranberry sauce, several kinds of cake and ditto of pie, and to say that everyone

of the various courses could not possibly have been given a more appetizing appearance is putting this matter mildly. If never before, the visitors, county officials, press representatives and all, were united in one common feeling of sympathy over the almost total inability to do anything like justice to the spread. On leaving the dining room cigars were in general evidence for about a half hour when an inspection of the house from cellar to garret was made. Everywhere, except in the basement, the floors are of fine hardwood and all spotlessly clean. In the sleeping rooms the iron bedsteads are of a uniform pattern but all had the same neat and clean appearance with their white covers and pillow slips. All sleeping apartments are provided with locks and barred windows and doors as well. After retiring at night the most of the inmates are locked safely out of harm's way, a precaution which is a decidedly necessary one for reasons too numerous to mention. Even the strongest cell-like rooms, however, are light, well ventilated and have just as comfortable beds as have the others. All the rooms in fact are arranged and furnished with the ideas of cleanliness, light, ventilation and cheeriness without any attempts at any show of gew gaws, cheap luxury or elegance. The present building has a capacity for seventy-five inmates and there are now forty-eight in the institution.

The steam heating plant which was put in by the Monroe Foundry and Furnace Company is an object of considerable interest and the work of putting it in has apparently been done with the greatest possible care. All the corners of the exposed pipe work in the basement are noticeable for the neatness and accuracy of the work, as much care evidently having been taken in making the corners square and the plain black radiating pipes parallel in the cells, in the basement as in showing good workmanship on the more highly furnished radiators and their connections above. There are 15000 feet in the building which requires heating and the boiler has a capacity of 20000 thus providing a safe margin for any contingency.

Mr. A. Baier, president and manager of the company, was present and took pains to explain the system to any interested in its working. His assistant, Mr. Joseph Guentler, foreman of the heating department, was also present.

The kitchen is another object of especial interest. It is a big roomy place on the first floor, which is nearly eight feet above the ground, and looks out from the east side of the building. It is arranged with the necessary conveniences and one big single and another big double range twice the size of the first, show that the capacity for producing a large amount of eatable food is not small.

Taken all in all the new building is a most conveniently arranged and equipped one and Shiawassee has no need to be ashamed of it. The old building is now being torn down preparatory to being moved away and as soon as the yards can be cleaned up from the litter of building and tearing down, the appearance of the grounds will be an equal matter of pride with the inside appearance.

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